

RESOLUTION NUMBER 280
THOMAS FORTENBERRY

***WHEREAS*, on December 10, 2007, the 17th Ward will hold its Annual Holiday Party and Awards Ceremony at which time Thomas Fortenberry and Darrell Grant will be honored for their contributions to the 17th Ward and the City of St. Louis; and**

***WHEREAS*, Thomas Fortenberry and Darrell Grant have shown extraordinary dedication and commitment to the Tiffany neighborhood; and**

***WHEREAS*, Thomas Fortenberry and Darrell Grant have lived in Tiffany since 2004 and are active members of the Tiffany Community Association; and**

***WHEREAS*, Thomas Fortenberry and Darrell Grant's contributions to the Tiffany neighborhood include: neighborhood covenants; a monthly newsletter; the yearly National Night Out event; a back to school barbecue; a major beautification project at Lafayette and Grand; neighborhood trash cleanups; curb repainting; Tiffany Park plantings and cleanup; a full house rehab; neighborhood watch programs; banners; and an ongoing dedication to get more Tiffany residents involved in the neighborhood;**

***NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED* by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to recognize Thomas Fortenberry and Darrell Grant as recipients of the 17th Ward's Community Involvement Award, and we further join with the members of the 17th Ward in honoring their outstanding contributions to our City, and we direct the Clerk of the Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of this proceeding and to prepare a commemorative copy to be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.**

Introduced on the 7th day of December, 2007 by:

Honorable Joseph D. Roddy, Alderman 17th Ward

Adopted this the 7th day of December, 2007 as attested by:

Denise Watson-Wesley Coleman
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen